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30/... Contribution of the Human Right Council to the high-level meeting on HIV/AIDS in 2016

The Human Rights Council,

Recalling Human Rights Council resolutions 12/27 of 2 October 2009, 15/22 of 30 September 2010 and 16/28 of 25 March 2011, and relevant Commission on Human Rights resolutions,

Reaffirming the Political Declarations on HIV/AIDS adopted by the General Assembly on 2 June 2006 and 8 July 2011, and the Declaration of Commitment on HIV/AIDS, adopted by the Assembly on 27 June 2001,

Recalling also the International Guidelines on HIV/AIDS and Human Rights referred to in the above-mentioned resolutions and annexed to Commission on Human Rights resolution 1997/33 of 11 April 1997, which provides guidance to ensuring the respect, protection and fulfilment of human rights in the context of HIV,

Recalling further the panel discussion held on 20 March 2012 at the nineteenth session of the Human Rights Council on giving a voice to people living with or affected by HIV/AIDS,

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Welcoming the consensus reached on the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development, which contains a goal to ensure healthy lives and promote well-being for all at all ages, and which includes a target on ending the epidemic of AIDS by 2030,

Welcoming also the decision of the General Assembly of 30 June 2014 to convene a high-level meeting on HIV/AIDS in 2016, preferably in the second half of the year, and to undertake the necessary consultations to determine the modalities and organizational arrangements for such a meeting during the seventieth session of the Assembly,

Reaffirming that the full realization of human rights and fundamental freedoms for all is an essential element in the global response to the HIV/AIDS pandemic, including in the areas of prevention, care, support and treatment, and that such a response reduces people's vulnerability to HIV/AIDS and prevents stigma and related discrimination against people living with or at risk of HIV/AIDS,

1. *Decides* to convene a panel discussion at its thirty-first session on the progress and challenges in addressing human rights issues in the context of efforts to end the HIV/AIDS epidemic by 2030, on the occasion of the twentieth anniversary of the International Guidelines on HIV/AIDS and Human Rights;

2. *Invites* the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights to liaise with States and all stakeholders, including relevant United Nations bodies, agencies, funds and programmes, treaty bodies, special procedure mandate holders, national human rights institutions and civil society, with a view to ensuring their participation in the panel discussion;

3. *Requests* the High Commissioner to prepare a report on the panel discussion in the form of a summary, and to submit it to the Human Rights Council at its thirty-second session, and decides to bring the report to the attention of the General Assembly ahead of the high-level meeting on HIV/AIDS in 2016;

4. *Invites* the General Assembly to take the summary report into consideration ahead of and during the high-level meeting, in accordance with the modalities and organizational arrangements, to be agreed pursuant to Assembly decision 68/555 of 30 June 2014.